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Applicant : Square Co., Ltd. Art Unit : 3713
 Serial No. : 09/820,539 Examiner : HOTALING, JOHN M
 Filed : March 29, 2001
 Title : GAME MACHINE, SERVER SYSTEM, INFORMATION SERVICE METHOD
 AND RECORDING MEDIUM

Attention: Group Director
 Commissioner for Patents
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REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO WITHDRAW AS ATTORNEY OF RECORD

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At least thirty days remain for the applicant to take any action due in this case or an appropriate request for extension of time accompanies this request seeking additional time. The attorney(s)/agent(s) on whose behalf this petition is filed will ensure that the applicant has sufficient time after approval of this request to reply or employ another to reply to any outstanding requirement of the Patent and Trademark Office.

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